

eFOTG –MAINE

Soil Information

Soil information available from this eFOTG site is the current OFFICIAL soil information for Maine. Soil information obtained from other sources may not be current, and should be checked against the official information from this eFOTG site.

Much of the soil information available from the eFOTG is provided through a link to the Soil Data Mart: <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.gov/>

To view or download soil data and reports for a specific county, click on the county name under “Soils Information” on the menu on the left side of the eFOTG page.

“Soil Reports” and “Soil Data Download” options are provided for most Maine counties:

Soil Reports: Links to the Soil Data Mart, where reports can be viewed on-screen and printed.

Soil Data Download: Links to the Soil Data Mart, where tabular data, an Access template, and spatial data for GIS use can be downloaded.

Soil mapping or digitizing for a few Maine counties is still in progress. Official soil information for these counties can be obtained from the local NRCS Field Office: <http://www.me.nrcs.usda.gov/>

Additional assistance in obtaining or using soil data is available from NRCS soil scientists. Contact information is included on the Maine soils web site : <http://www.me.usda.gov/technical/SoilSurveyProgram.html>